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For BRIEFCASE OR CARRYING CASE WITH  
INTEGRATED LOUDSPEAKER SYSTEM  
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In response to the Final Office Action mailed 3/26/2003,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-43.

Add new claims 44-62.

-- 44. A carrying case of electronic devices or documents  
having a housing wherein the walls of the housing are of a multi-  
layered or sandwich construction consisting of at least one outer layer  
of material with a maximum thickness of 4 mm and a high modulus of  
elasticity in shear and at least one inner layer of a material with a  
minimum thickness of 4 mm and a high modulus of elasticity in shear,  
high damping and a low density, said housing comprising:

at least one loudspeaker for reproduction of audio  
frequencies mounted on one of said walls of the housing;

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